

Docket No.: 67161-084

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Takeshi MATSUNUMA : Confirmation Number: 2751

Application No.: 10/653,214 : Group Art Unit: 2823

Filed: September 03, 2003 : Examiner: Michelle Estrada

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE INCLUDING INTERCONNECTION AND

CAPACITOR, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Restriction Requirement Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Noting the Office Action of September 15, 2004 wherein restriction has been required, Applicant hereby elects Group II (claims 6-9) for prosecution in the above-identified application.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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